

Cozen O'Connor Insurance Expert Joins Crowell & Moring

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Crowell & Moring LLP has added a London-based litigator with extensive experience in arbitration to its insurance/reinsurance group, the international firm announced Wednesday.

Mark Meyer, who has more than 20 years of experience advising insurers and reinsurers on policy coverage, defense of policyholders and policy construction matters, also brings a deep knowledge of multiparty mediation, arbitration, commercial court litigation and alternative dispute resolution to his new role. Meyer joined Crowell & Moring from his previous post in Cozen O'Connor LLP's London office.



Mark Meyer

“Mark is a highly regarded leader in the insurance and reinsurance industry, with a particular focus on helping clients navigate high-stakes arbitration and litigation disputes,” William C. O'Neill, co-chairman of Crowell & Moring's insurance/reinsurance group, said in a statement. “Mark's addition is an important part of our transatlantic insurance/reinsurance practice, offering clients seasoned counsel in one of the most important markets in the world.”

Meyer built his career advising industry clients in complex disputes involving property and casualty issues. He has experience in property and energy facultative and treaty reinsurance, professional indemnity insurance and liability coverage for directors and officers, with a special focus on insurance matters in the aviation and aerospace sectors.

Meyer has represented reinsurers in disputes related to the missing Malaysia Airlines Flight 370, as well as other airline, airport and manufacturer losses. He worked on matters involving first party property damage and business interruption claims stemming from the World Trade Center attacks on Sept. 11, 2001, and has counseled clients on insurance exposure following recent car emission investigations and property insurance cyber-risk exposures.

In a statement, Meyer noted the Crowell & Moring's insurance/reinsurance group's reputation for handling large and complex issues in the international insurance and reinsurance markets as a major factor in his decision to join the firm.

“I have had a longstanding relationship with many of the lawyers at Crowell & Moring, and I am thrilled

to be part of this first-class team," Meyer said.

Meyer earned his LL.B. at Queen Mary University of London and his LL.M. from at London's College of Law. He is admitted to practice in England and Wales.

Meyer is a member of the Aviation Insurance Association, the Professional Liability Underwriters Society, the London Court of International Arbitration, and the International Committee of ARIAS US. He is an adviser to TrainE-TraidE, a non-profit provider of professional training and employment services.

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